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VIA FACSIMILE AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

J. Cameron Thurber, Esq.
Office of the General Counsel
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: MUR 5673
Sandy Lyons for Congress Melissa B. Jordan
in her official capacity as treasurer
Sanford David "Sandy" Lyons

Dear Mr. Thurber:

I am writing to seek a ten-day extension of time for the above-referenced proceeding.

I need the additional time to resolve issues related to my response to the August 11, 2005 Notification with Factual and Legal Analysis which indicated the Federal Election Commission had found reason to believe Sandy Lyons for Congress and Melissa B. Jordan, in her official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §441a-1(b)(1)(C) and 11 C.F.R. § 400.21(b) and Sanford David "Sandy" Lyons violated 2 U.S.C. §441a-1(b)(1)(C).

Mr. Lyons resides in Amsterdam, Holland and did not receive the August 11, 2005 Notification with Factual and Legal Analysis referenced above until recently. In addition, I initially had difficulty locating Melissa B. Jordan, although I am now in contact with her.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Douglas J. Patton, Esq.

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